

**Maine Revised Statutes**  
**Title 32: PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS**  
**Chapter 26: CODING OF PLASTIC CONTAINERS**  
**HEADING: PL 1989, c. 585, Pt. B, §16 (new)**

**§1723. LABELS**

**1. Labels.** The label shall appear on the bottom of the plastic bottle or rigid plastic container and be clearly visible. This label shall consist of a number with letters placed below the number. The numbers and letters shall be as follows:

- A. For polyethylene terephthalate, the letters "PETE" and the number 1; [1989, c. 585, Pt. C, §16 (NEW).]
- B. For high-density polyethylene, the letters "HDPE" and the number 2; [1989, c. 585, Pt. C, §16 (NEW).]
- C. For vinyl, the letter "V" and the number 3; [1989, c. 585, Pt. C, §16 (NEW).]
- D. For low-density polyethylene, the letters "LDPE" and the number 4; [1989, c. 585, Pt. C, §16 (NEW).]
- E. For polypropylene, the letters "PP" and the number 5; [1989, c. 585, Pt. C, §16 (NEW).]
- F. For polystyrene, the letters "PS" and the number 6; or [1989, c. 585, Pt. C, §16 (NEW).]
- G. For any other plastic resins, including multilayer, the letters "OTHER" and the number 7. [1989, c. 585, Pt. C, §16 (NEW).]

[ 1989, c. 585, Pt. C, §16 (NEW) .]

**2. Alternative labels.**

[ 1995, c. 656, Pt. A, §5 (RP) .]

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